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## REPLY AND AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §§1.111 AND 1.121

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2004, please extend the period of time for response two months to expire on May 14, 2005. As this date falls on a Saturday, this Response is timely filed. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Listing of Claims, which reflects the amendments to the claims, begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.